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From: Hammerschmidt, Ron
Sent: Wed 9/4/2013 8:19:40 PM
Subject: RE: ACTION REQUIRED: West Lake Landfill Inquiry from Sen. Blunt's Office

LaTonya,

The responsibility for performing work the Bridgeton Landfill or West Lake Superfund site will depend upon the regulatory authority under which it is performed. If performed under the Solid Waste authority of the Missouri Department of Natural Resources and/or the Missouri Attorney General that cost would probably be paid by Republic. If performed under CERCLA authorities and the EPA legal agreements for the Westlake Landfill site, the payment would be governed by those agreements with the costs shared among the PRPs. If you need a more definitive response with legal citations, Audrey Asher of the Region 7 Counsel office can assist. Audrey is out today.

Ron

From: Sanders, LaTonya
Sent: Wednesday, September 04, 2013 3:09 PM
To: Hammerschmidt, Ron
Cc: Jefferson, Matthew
Subject: FW: ACTION REQUIRED: West Lake Landfill Inquiry from Sen. Blunt's Office
Importance: High

Hi Ron,

I was told that Dan is out this week.

Do you have any information we can provide?

Thanks.

From: Sanders, LaTonya
Sent: Tuesday, September 03, 2013 10:25 AM
To: Gravatt, Dan
Cc: Hammerschmidt, Ron
Subject: ACTION REQUIRED: West Lake Landfill Inquiry from Sen. Blunt's Office
Importance: High

Hi Dan,

Please provide the responses to questions below.

If so, before 1 p.m.

Thanks.

From: DeGregorio, Kerry (Blunt) [mailto:Kerry_DeGregorio@blunt.senate.gov]
Sent: Tuesday, September 03, 2013 10:10 AM
To: Sanders, LaTonya
Subject: Question West Lake Landfill
Importance: High

Latonya,

I have a meeting at 1 pm today and had a question on West Lake Landfill.

In a previous email EPA advised that the new fence on West Lake was requested by EPA and

paid for by PRP's to secure the North quarry.

Q. It appears that the only way to keep the fire out of the North quarry (West Lake) is to have a trench dug between the two.

At my last EPA briefing I was told that EPA wouldn't be opposed to having temperature probes, rad testing, or waste makeup probes in the North quarry.

Finally the question, if the trench is dug in West Lake Landfill to keep the fire in the South quarry will the 4 PRP's pay for that work? Would the trench be the sole financial responsibility of Republic?

Thank you.

Kerry J. DeGregorio

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